



## **PATENT APPLICATION**

## RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2834

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Atsushi UMEDA Group Art Unit: 2834

Application No.: 10/073,857 Examiner: L. Pham

Filed: February 14, 2002 Docket No.: 111969

For: ROTARY ELECTRIC MACHINE

## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the June 13, 2003 Office Action, and the personal interview conducted on December 8, 2003, the shortened statutory period for reply being effectively extended to December 15, 2003 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.

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